IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s):	ZILLA et al.)	Group Art Unit: 3734
Serial No.:	10/612,082)	Examiner: Kevin Thao TRUONG
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For: FOAM-TYPE VASCULAR PROSTHESIS WITH WELL-DEFINED ANGIO- PERMISSIVE OPEN POROSITY			

RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents Mail Stop Amendment P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This response is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed January 4, 2007.

Enclosed with the present document is applicants' request for a one-month extension of time.

Remarks begin on the page entitled "Remarks."